

Navajo Election Administration

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Navajo Nation General Election Update

WINDOW ROCK, Ariz. – During the recent Navajo Nation General Election the Navajo Board of Election Supervisors became aware of the ballot shortage at a number of Chapters.

To address this, the Election Office, working with Election Agency Offices, was able to print additional ballots at their main office as well as at some polling sites. This process was done in previous elections or with local Chapter elections and is not a new process for the Election Office

There were some instances in which the Office and polling sites could not print more ballots in time before polling sites closed at 7:00 p.m. In those situations the Election Office permitted voters to leave their names, addresses and other contact information. The voters who are on these lists will be contacted so they may cast their ballot. The Election Offices will be contacting voters in the next few days according to the contact information provided by the voter. Voters may also contact their Agency Office to cast their ballot beginning Tuesday, November 13th through November 21st.

The Navajo Election Administration in each Agency will proceed with canvassing of votes. After all votes are accounted for and counted the final vote tally will be given to the Navajo Board of Election Supervisors for certification. The Navajo Election Administration takes its responsibility of protecting the rights of voters and candidates very seriously. We assure the public that all precautionary measures are being taken to address election issues.

The Navajo Election Administration may be reached toll free at 1-800-775-8683.